same and proceed to construct the said road from Chap. 360. said points to the centre of the same.

SEC. 18. And be it enacted, That this act shall In force. take effect from and after the day of its passage.

CHAPTER 360.

AN ACT to repeal the forty-ninth, fifty-sixth, six-Passed March ty-ninth, seventy-third and seventy-seventh sections, relating to primary schools in Howard county, of article thirteen of the public local laws, and to substitute therefor the following sections relating to the said primary schools.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That so much of article thirteen of the public local law of Howard county as is contained in the forty-ninth section thereof, relating to primary schools in said county, be and the same is hereby repealed, and that in lieu thereof, the following section relating to the said primary schools, be and the same is hereby substituted therefor: That the county commissioners of Howard county, be and they are hereby authorised, empowered and for public directed to levy upon the taxable property of said county, the sum of seven thousand dollars annually for the use of the primary schools of said county, which said sum shall be equally divided amongst the school districts of said county, excepting only the seventh district which shall annually receive three hundred dollars more than the other districts respectively, so long as a male and female school shall be kept and mantained in said seventh district, and the aggregate number of children attending said schools regularly shall exceed forty.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted, That so much of article thirteen of the public local law of Howard county, as is contained in the fifty-six and sixty-ninth sections thereof, relating to primary schools in said county, be and the same is hereby repealed, and that in lieu thereof, the following section, relating to primary schools in said county, be and the same

Repealed.

Annual levy

Repealed.